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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

- Amendment and Response to Final Office Action Dated April 22, 2003 ( pgs.);
- Petition for Extension of Time (1 pg., in duplicate);
- Check # 17418 in the amount of \$475.00;
- Notice of Appeal (1 pg.);
- Check #17419 in the amount of \$165.00; and
- Return Postcard.

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned collect at (617) 542-6000, Boston, Massachusetts. The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any deficiencies to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 21486-026CIP. A duplicate copy of this Transmittal Letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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